

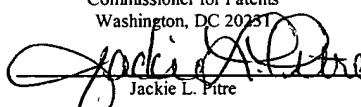


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Title: IN SITU THERMAL  
PROCESSING OF A COAL  
FORMATION WITH A  
SELECTED RATIO OF  
HEAT SOURCES TO  
PRODUCTION WELLS

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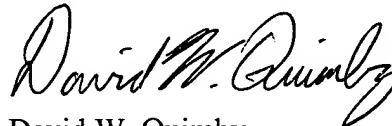
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Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(d), Applicant respectfully requests that the changes shown in red to the enclosed 7 sheets of drawings (Figs. 23a, 23b, 32, 44, 54, 55, 59, 60, and 63) be approved by the Examiner and accepted in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,



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